GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Dept. for Women, Children, Differently Abled & Senior Citizens – Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 (2 of 2016) - Constitution of Committee for framing the draft Andhra Pradesh Juvenile Justice Rules, 2016 – Orders Issued.

DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DISABLED & SENIOR CITIZENS (PROG.1)

G.O.RT.No. 120 Dated: 28-06-2016

Read the following:

1) From the Joint Secretary, Ministry of W&CD, Govt. of India, New Delhi, Lr. D. No. 11-4/2015-CW-II, Dt.21.01.2016.
2) From the Director, JW,CS&WSC, A.P., Hyd., Lr.No.P2/56/2015, dt.27.05.2016

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ORDER

In the reference 1st read above, the Joint Secretary, Ministry of W&CD, Govt. of India, New Delhi has stated that the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act 2015 (2 of 2016) has come into force with effect from 15th January, 2016 repealing the JJ (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director, JW,CS&WSC, (A.P.), Hyd. has stated that in the wake of enactment of JJ (C&PC) Act, 2015, the State Government have to frame the State Rules for effective implementation of the Act.

3. She has further stated that there are no State Rules for the JJ Act after 2003. Though the Act was emended twice in 2006 & 2011, the department has been following the AP JJ Rules 2003 and Model Rules 2007. Now that the old Act was completely repealed with a new JJ Act 2015, it is high time to frame the State Rules for effective implementation of the provisions of the JJ Act 2015. Further stated that the Ministry of Women Development & Child Welfare, Govt. of India have published the Draft Model Juvenile Justice Rules 2016 in the website of the Ministry on 25.05.20116 and the approved / fair Juvenile Justice Model Rules 2016 are expected to be published in the official gazette shortly. Basing on the finally approved Central JJ Model Rules, the State Rules will be prepared by the State. As such, by the time Central JJ Model Rules are published in official gazette, a Draft Rules Committee for framing the State Rules is to be constituted so that AP State Rules can be framed without any loss of time. Previously when the AP JJ Rules 2003 were framed, a Committee was constituted with the Senior Departmental Officers, NGOs and practicing Advocates. She has therefore, requested that a Committee for framing the draft rules may be constituted as was done in the year 2003 under the Chairpersonship of the Director, JW,CS&WSC, A.P. Hyderabad.

(P.T.O.)

4. After careful examination of matter and the proposal of the Director, JW,CS&WSC, A.P., Hyd., Govt. hereby constitute a Committee for framing the draft Andhra Pradesh Juvenile Justice Rules, 2016 with the following members:

S.No.	Name of the Officer	Designation
1	Director, Dept. of JW,CS&WSC, A.P., Hyd.	Chairperson
2	Joint Director of Correctional Services, Dept. of JW,CS&WSC, AP	Member / Convenor
3	Joint Director, Dept. of WD&CW, AP (ICPS & Adoption)	Member
4	Sri. NVS Ram Mohan, NGO – HELP	Member
5	Representative of UNICEF (subject expert)	Member
6	One officer from Police (CID) Dept. not below the rank of Dy. Superintendent of Police.	Member
7	Sri. Abdul Raqueeb, Practicing Advocate, formerly Juvenile Justice Board Member, Visakhapatnam and Panel Lawyer of JJB, Visakhapatnam.	Member
8	One Superintendent of Home, JW,CS&WSC	Member
9	One District Probation Officer	Member

5. The Director, JW,CS&WSC, A.P., Hyd. shall take necessary action, accordingly and furnish the draft Rules to Govt., for taking further action in the matter.

(BY ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.(Smt.) POONAM MALAKONDAIAH,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FAC)

To
The Director, Dept. of JW,CS&WSC, (A.P.), Hyd.
The Members concerned through the Director, JW,CS&WSC, (A.P.), Hyd.
(to communicate the orders)

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The PS to Prl. Secretary, Dept. for WCD&SCs, A.P. Secretariat, Hyd.
The Joint Secretary to Govt. of India,
Ministry of Women and Child Development,
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SECTION OFFICER